# A. T. EMBREY FOR JUDGE

Fredericksburg Bar Recommends Him.

#### HERRING NOW PLENTIFUL

Red Men's Bazaar Held in Fredericks burg Netted the Organization Nearly \$400-The Fund Will Go to Entertaining the Convention.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) FREDERICKSBURG, VA., April 21.-Members of the bar here forwarded this afternoon to Senator Wallace and Deleatternoen to Senator Wallace and Delegate Biscoe a petition recommending Hon. A. T. Embrey for judge of the Corporation Court to succeed Judge Wallace, resigned. A petition has also been signed by prominent citizens and forwarded. The Legislature will elect Mr. Embrey, who has agreed to serve and will have no opposition. Judge A. W. Wallace resigned, and notwithstanding an express agreed from the citizens. Walace resigned, and notwinstanding an earnest appeal from the citizens generally to withdraw his resignation, he adhered to his decision to retire from of-ical life. Mr. Embrey is at present Commonwealth's Attorney for the city.

The Red Men's Isaziar near new retered the organization nearly \$400. This fund will be used for entertaining the State convention of that orden which meets in this city next month.

Herring and other fish are becoming

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In this city next month.

Herring and other fish are becoming more pentiful, and prices have fallon. The mountain wagons are now coming down to the Potomac River shores to carry back their supplies of herring. Shad and rock, while running more freely, are still somewhat scarce. At a haumand at Widewater shore on the Potomac River last night 125,000 fish were caught. This is the largest catch this season thus far.

Horses are in greater domand in this bection than they have been for many years. Parties are buying them up in droves to carry to other sections for sale, and horses, that were hard to sell at \$75 each some months ago are now bringing £100 and \$125 each.

The local option people are still circulating their petition for signatures to present to the Corporation Court, though it is said that more than enough have already been secured to assure the calling of an election.

The acreage in corn in this part of the State this season will be much smaller.

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The acreage in corn in this part of the State this season will be much smaller than that of last year. This is due to two causes—the unprecedented fall of rain, delaying plowing, etc., and the great searcity of labor. It is stated by some that the exodus of negroes from this section to New Jersey and other States is caused by the new election laws, by which many of them were disfranchised. Whilst the corn crop will be smaller than usual, the present prospect for a fine wheat yield was never better.

Mr. E. H. DeJarnette, a prominent lawyer of Spotsylvania county, has moved to Orange Courthouse to practice.

srs. W. H. Hurkamp, A. B. Bott: W. F. Coates, of this city, have to Roznoke to attend a meeting of Grand Council of the Royal Arcanum

at that place.

The play Bibi, which was produced here with so much success some weeks ago, will be repeated at the opera house on Friday night, April 24th, the proceeds to be for the benefit of the Mary Wash-Ington Hospital. There are about eighty people in the cast, all of this city.

#### MR. TARRY'S ESTATE

Left Property Valued at Over One Hundred Thousand Dollars.

Hundred Thousand Dollars.

(Special to The Times-Disnatch.)

BOYDTON, VA., April 21.—The County
Court of Mecklenburg began here yesterday. The will of the late George P.
Tarry was admitted to probate, His son,
Albin R. Tarry, is named as executor,
without security. Mr. Tarry left a handsome estate, valued at from one hundred
to one hundred and twenty-five thousand
dollars. The larger part of the estate consists of stocks, and bonds, Mr. Tarry
owned one of the most valuable landed
estates in the county, situated on Roanoke River.

The continued rains have seriously retarded farm operations in Mecklenburg,
and it would seem now impossible for the
farmers to make a full crop, as but a
very few of the farmers have been able
to make much preparation for their crops.
The wheat crop is also injured by the wet
weather, for in some localities it is turning yellow.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Overby gave an

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Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Overby gave an elegant progressive euchre party a few nights since to some thirty of their young lady and gentlemen friends at their home in this place. A splendid supper was served about 11:30 o'clock. Mrs. Basker-vill won the ladies' prize, and Mr. E. L. Toom the gentleman's.

Judge Hundley, of the Circuit Court, by a vacation order, has appointed Mr. T. H. Boyd a member of the Board of Pension Commissioners for Mecklenburg rounty, to fill the vacancy caused by the teath of George P. Tarry.

### SHOT HIMSELF

Young Man Dies at Gate City from Injuries Caused by an Actident.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
GATB CATY, VA., April 21.—Henry
Burong, the nineteen-year-old son of Hiram Strong, of near Wayland, this county, accidentally discharged a shot-gan
into his body this morning, from which
he died a few hours later. He went out
this morning with a gua to shoot a
hawk, He is the grandson of ex-Sheriff
W. R. Strong, a merchant of Gate City.
Another grandson of the ex-sheriff was
accidentally shot and killed a few years
ago and a little granddaughter was burned to death.

#### AFTER FORTY YEARS

Well-Known Employe of the Baltimore and Ohio Retired at Winchester.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

WINCHESTER, VA., April 21.—After
serving the Balltmore and Ohio Rallroad
for nearly forty years, in various capactities, Captain Thomas C. Frince was
to-day retired as superintendent of the
Shenandoah Division because of failing
health. Captain Prince's first position on
the road was that of news-boy. He is
succeeded by J. E. Spurrier, late of the
First Division. Captain Prince has been
regarded as one of the best officials of
the company.

the company.
Miss Gussle Conrad, daughter of Major Holmes Courad, has been elected sponsor and Miss Annis Cartmell, daughter of County Clerk T. K. Cartmell, maid of honor, to represent Turner Ashby Camp. C. V., at the New Orleans reunion.

Suddenly finding out that the city was

becoming quite a big money borrower in order to meet current expenses, the City Council last hight made a considerable increase in the tax on a number of in-dustries. The Fairfax Club, composed of many prominent men, was taxed and dollar a head, and the active membership is said to have rapidly decreased since last night.

Board of Trade Officers.

Board of J rade Officers,
(Special to the Times-Dispatch,)
NORFOLK, VA., April 21.—R. A. Dunlon, of Richmond, was elected secretary
and treasurer of the Virginia State Board
of Trade by the Executive Council, which
met here to-day. C. W. Priddy, of Norfolk, was elected president, and the place
of the next annual meeting will be Virginia Beach, June 234.

Verdict Agreed Upon

(Special to The Time-Dispatch)
TAZEWELL, VA., April 21.—A verdict
was agreed upon this morning when the
case was called in the County Court of
the Commonwealth against John Jones,
charged with the killing of ex-Marshal
John G. Watts, the prisoner accepting
one year in the penitentiary.

## NATIONAL BANK IS ORGANIZED

#### Charge of Blackmail Against Felt and Hutto Was Dismissed.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) NEWPORT NEWS, VA., April 21.—The Newport News National Bank was organized to-day, the capital being \$100,000 and the surplus \$15,000. The officers are E. Quincy Smith, of Washington, president; A. L. Powell, vice-president and managing officer, and O. D. Batchelor, attorney.

to work in behalf of the same content of the content of the content of the leave here for San Francisco Saturday to enter the Redwood lumber trade out of California ports. The Leggett is just completed and is equipped with oil burners in her boiler-room. She will take out a cargo of steel rails.

#### WYSOR FOR CONGRESS

He Is Named as a Candidate to Win Against Colonel Slemp.

Against Colonel Slemp.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

TAZEWPELL, VA., April 21.—Hon. J.
C. Wysor will reach here Tuesday morning to assist Messrs. Alderson, Sexton and Senator Harman in the defense of John Jones, charged with tilling exmarshal John G. Watts. Many friends of Mr. Wysor think he is the logical Democratic candidate for Congress in the Ninth District, and that he could easily redeem the district from the Republican victory won by Colonel Slemp. publican victory won by Colonel Slemp Others still closer to him think that he could not afford to abundon the criminal practice which is now coming to him from all parts of the Southwest.

#### Railroad Company Won.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

POWHATAN C. H., VA., April 21.—
Circuit Court, with Judge George J.

Hundley presiding, adjourned last nant.

The only jury case at the term was that of Mrs. Ellen H. Filippen vs. the Southern Railroad. The jury brought in a verdict for the defendant company.

A marriage license was issued by Clerk Tilman to Mr. W. T. Davis, who will marry Miss Hester F. Webb this evening. The marriage will take place in Richmond. The groom is a son of Mr. W. R. Davis, of this village, and the bride is a charming young lady and a

bride is a charming young lady and a daughter of Mr. W. H. Webb, of this county. The young couple will spend a few days in Richmond, after which they will return to Powhatan to the home of the groom, who is a prosperous river

## BANK CHARTERED FOR CLAREMONT

#### Cannery and Wagon Factory Among the Town's Latest Business Enterprises.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) CLAREMONT, VA., April 21.-A. G. Winter has secured the charter for Claremont's new bank and a meeting of the stockholders will be held in a few days and an organization perfected.

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Work on the new canning factory is progressing rather slowly on account of the continued wet weather.

The Russell wagon factory building is nearly enclosed and operations will begin in a few weeks.

As Claremont has over 500 population, a local opton election will be held to determine whether the town shall have a saloon or not. Petitions are now being circulated to that effect and the matter will be laid hore Judge Riner at the April term of court.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Metcalfe, wealthy residents of Miami, Flu., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will H. Stevens, on Aldrich Avenue.

The incessant rains have interfered with the planting of spring crops and framers are looking depressed.

The increased license for saloons will have the effect of driving a majority of the cross-roads saloons out of existence in this county.

Fishermen along the James are complaining of the poor run of shad and surgeon this spring. They blame the wet weather, muddy water and the numerous saw mills along the banks that empty their refuse into the river.

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NOW OVER 40 YEARS -- AND LIKELY TO REMAIN THE ONLY REAL CURE FOR Rheumatism AND ITS BLOOD RELATIONS. At druggists, 70c, Bottle, Postal brings booklet. Ww. H. MULTER University Piece, New York,

# PASTOR IS SUSTAINED

Court's Decision in Harrison-Street Baptist Church Row.

IS IN COURT FOUR DAYS

The Affair Was the Occasion of a Great Commetion Among the Negroes of Petersburg and Also Aroused Interest Among the Whites.

PETERSBURG, VA., April 21.-In th case of the Rev. Ellis Watts, the pastor, and the old deacons of Harrison-Street Baptist Church, colored, against the seceding faction, Judge Mullen this afterneon decided that Watts is the proper paster and the former deacons the proper deacons of the church; that the meeting at which the paster and deacens were turned out was illegal, and that the female members of the church should be entitled to vote in such matters, in order to facilitate harmony among the members a meeting of the church will be held under the supervision of the court and one of the commissioners in chancery will act as moderator. This case has occupied the attention of the court for four days. The immediate question involved was "Who composes the church at this

cupied the attention of the court for four days. The immediate question involved was "Who\composes the church at this time?"

The trouble began over the refusal of the pastors and deacons to permit the funeral of a former deacon to take place in that church because an undertaker, not a member of the church, had charge of the funeral. Many indirect charges of arbitrary acts were brought against the pastor, but the only specific charge was that in reference to the refusal to permit the funeral of Deacon Green.

Mr. Bernard Mann, for Watts and the clid deacons, opened the case Friday in a speech of three hours. He was followed by Mr. R. B. Davis and Mr. George Mason yesterday, the counsel for the seceding faction. Mr. George S. Bernard, for the Watts faction, was speaking when the court adjourned yesterday afternoon. He concluded his argument to-day, and the judge within a short time rendered the opinion.

The affair has caused considerable interest among the colored people, and since the case has occupied the court for such considerable time, many white people have manifested a live interest in the affair.

MR. DUNLOF'S YACHT.

Mr. David Dunlop arrived in Petersburg this morning from Poughkeepsie, N. Y., on his handsome new steam yacht "ventura." This is one of the handsomest yachts ever owned in Virginia. It was built hast June by C. D. Miller, of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., at a cost of about \$25,000. Its full length is ninety-eight feet, its width is thirteen feet, and it draws five feet of water. There are berth accommodations for six.

The yacht is handsomely finished throughout in mahogany and furnished with every convenience to add to the comfort and pleasure of passengers.

Work is now under way on the club-house to be built at Coggins' Point, opposite Westover, by Mr. Dunlop. This is said to be one of the prottlest sites on the James, and the plans for the buildings would indicate that few club-houses in the South will equal the one to be orected by Mr. Dunlop.

Mossrs. John Seward, E. P. Goodwyn and Frank K. C

likely that the plans will be given to the bidders to-morrow.

The new Board of Governors of the Country Club met last evening in the office of the secretary, Captain N. T. Patteson. The board transacted regular bulsness and discussed many matters of interest to the club. They determined to build a water tank on the grounds, to continue to improve the golf links, and to this end will purchase a heavy roler to be run over the grounds. They also decided to give a dance at the club-house each week during the summer. The club now has a neat sum on hand, which will be spent for the benefit and pleasure of the immembers.

REV. GEORGE STUART.

Hev. George Stuart, the distinguished Scuthern evangelist, will hold revival services in Petersburg during May. The date and place have not been definitely determined upon, but will be known this week. It seems that it will be impossible to get the Virginia Warchouse for these services, and the prospects now are that they will be held at Center Warehouse.

house.

About sixty-five delegates to the Grand Council, Royal Arcanum of Virginia, which began in the Exchange building, in Rosnoke, this evening at 8 o'clock, passed through Petershurg this morning for Roa-noke. They were joined in this city by Mr. James B. Blanks, grand secretary of the State; Mr. James P. Banks, member of the State Finance Committee; Mr. Ger-man Gill, secretary of the Southside Coun-cil, and Mr. W. T. Parham, of Sycamore Council

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Very successful revival services are new in progress at High-Street Methodist Church in this city. The paster, Rev. George E. Booker, is being assisted by Rev. George Wesley Jones, of Norfolk. The singing each evening is conducted by Rev. John Eure, of Matoaca. There were four professions of faith last evening.

From the farmers of this vicinity who have recently been in Petersburg it is learned that farming operations are delayed two or three weeks by the prevailing rains. Many of the farmers who had prepared their lands ready for crops will have to replow, they having been beaten together again by a heavy rainfall. Farmers do not report any serious damage to fruit thus far, but the crop in this vicinity will doubtless be short by reason of the recent cold weather.

IN PETERSBURG.

Colonel Benjamin F. Montgomery, formerly of Petersburg, at one time manager of the Western Union Telegraph office in this city, and now chief of the Telegraph and Cipher Bureau at the White House in Washington, was in Petersburg yesterday and received a warm welcome from many friends.

The Republicans expect to begin the publication of their paper in Raanoke

No License Granted.

(Special to The Times Dispatch.)
CHATHAM, VA., April 21.—On Monday,
the first of the April term of Pittsylvania
County Court, no liquor licenses were
granted, which was not in keeping with

the past. Nearly every liquor dealer in the county was present to make motions, but Judge Tredway returned to hear any, as he had not received a copy of the Menn bill, and would not proceed until he had acquainted himself with the new

### IN ALEXANDRIA

Dr. R. H. Pitt Delivers an Address a Ohurch Centennial Meeting. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
ALEXANDRIA, VA., April 31.—Exer

ALEXANDRIA, VA., April 3i.—Exercises under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid and Mite Societies this evening marked the third day of the centennial celebration of the First Baptis; Church. The sermon of the evening was delivered by Rev. O. F. Flippo, of Philadelphia, a former plastor of the church. He was followed by Rev. Dr. R. H. Pitt, of Richmond, editor of the Religious Herald, who delivered an address. Others on the programme were Rev. I. B. Lake, D. D., invecation; Rev. T. S. Dunaway, reading of Scripture; Rev. E. Hez. Swem, prayer, and Rev. A. W. Graves, historical sketch of the societies. The Mite Society was organized in 1896 and the Aid Society in 1895.

#### HOFHEIMER-HIRSCHLER

Brilliant Wedding Ceremony in Ohe Sholom Temple, Norfolk.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NORFOLK, VA., April 21.—One of the most brilliant weddings of the season was that of Miss Bessie May Hirschier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hirschier, to Mr. J. Caesar Hothelmer, a prominent young business man, celebrated this atternoon in Ohef Shokom Temple, The coremony was performed by the Rov. Dr. S. R. Cohen, rabbl of Ohef Shokom, and at its conclusion an elegant reception was tendered the wedding party and guests at the home of the bride's parents in Bank Street. The maid of honor was Miss Addio Hirschier, of Ponnsylvania. The best man was Mr. Harrison Hothelmer, of Norfolk. The ushers were Mesars, Ed. Rohr, Harry Hothelmer, Milton Hirschier, David Coodman and Jeff. D. Hothelmer, of Norfolk. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) man and Jeff, D. Hothelmer, of Norfolk man and Jeff. D. Hofheimer, of Norlok, Sam. Bencheim, of Richmond; Dr. D. Lee Hirschler, of New York; Phil. Stern, of Baltimore, Among the guests were the following: Mss J. Hofheimer, Mrs. M. Katz and Mr. Milton Katz, of Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. M. Hofhelmer, Miss Mr. and Mrs. M. Hollender, Jr., of Richmond; Mrs. M. Thalhelmer, Mrs. E. Schwab and Miss E. Haas, of Newark, N. J.; Miss Addle Hirschler, Mr. Albert Hirschler, of Harrisonburg, Pa.; Mr. A. Goodman, of Philadelphia.

#### Harden-Miller.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NORFOLK, VA., April 21.—A way pretty wedding took place it is afternoon at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. Charles E. Bradshaw, Vicksville, Southampton county, when Miss Gertrude A. Miller, youngest daughter of the late Justice George Miller, and Mr. Levi T. Harden were married by the Rev. Dr. Smith, of Black Creek Baptist Church;

#### Jones-Morgan.

JONES—MORGAN.

(Special to The Times-Mapatch.)
ARVONIA, VA., April 21.—The Arvon
Baptist Church was crowded to-day to
witness the marriage of Miss Lizzle Morgan and Mr. Michael E, Jones. The ceremony was beautiful and impressve, Rev.
C. P. Scott officiating. The bride is the
bright and attractive daughter of Mr.
and Mrs. D. J. Morgan, and the groom
a progressive merchant of Penlan.

#### Robinson-Wilson

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BPOTSYINANIA C. H., VA., April 21.

Mr. John M. Robinson and Miss Ida C.

Wilson, daughter of Mr. B. W. Wilson, both of the county, were married last
Sunday morning at the home of the
bride's father, Rev. E. P. Hawkins officiating. Mr. Robinson is a thrifty young
farmer, and the young couple will reside
in the county. in the county.

Garrett-Walker. Garrett-Walker.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
VASHTI, VA., April 21.—Miss Elisa
Walker and Mr. Thomas Garrett were
married Sunday evening at the home of
the bride's brother-in-law. Mr. John
Mitchell, at Callands. The bride is the
daughter of Mrs. Sallie Walker. The
groom is a prominent farmer of the
Grady computity. Grady community.

#### Sanders-Mills.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
FREDERICKBRURG, V.A., April 21.—
Mrs. Lucy R. Mills, of this city, and Mr.
Robert C. Saunders, of Richmond county,
were married here last night at the residence of Mr. B. W. Spain, Rev. W. D.
Smith officialing. Smith officiating.

#### Harper-Rogers

Harper—Hogers.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

VASHTI, VA., April 21.—A beautiful marriage was celebrated at the home of Mr T. T. Rogers Bunday morning, Miss Otella Rogers becoming the bride-of Mr. E. P. Harper. The ceremony was performed by Rev. George Hundley.

#### Employe Recovers for Injury.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

LYNCHBURG, VA., April 21.—In the
Circuit Court here to-day Judge Saunders
over-ruled the demurer of the defense
in the suit of Fitzhugh Stanley vs. the
Lynchburg Cotton Mill, thus zlving Stanley a Judgment for \$5.00. Stanley was
injured while at work in the cotton mill.

# RICHMOND CHOSEN FOR NEXT MEETING

#### Jurior Order United Mechanics in Session in Lynchburg Yesterday.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) LYNCHBURG, VA., April 21.—The State Council of Virginia of that section of the Junior Order United American Meday and received a warm welcome from many friends.

The Republicans expect to begin the publication of their paper in Roanoke very soon. General Sith Bolling, ef Persenurg, who is interested in this publication, was in Roanoke the latter part of last week. The company will have available assets amounting to about \$50.

Excavation for the large warehouse to be hullt by Roper and Company on the site of the old Union-Street Methodist Church is now nearly completed, and work on the building is expected soon to begin. The building is expected soon to begin. The building will be two stories, with a basement, and will be received at a cost of about \$19,000.

Mr. R. Rayburn, manager of the Western Union Telegraph office in this city, has purchased privately the dwelling house of Mr. Plerson, on Madison Street, near the Liome for the Sick.

No License Granted. chanics loyal to the National Council.

# WARD.

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# COLLEGE AND RHEUMATISM POLITICS

Scheme for New Buildings at Washington and Lee.

#### A TRIBUTE TO INSTITUTE

General J. C. Beckinridge, Inspector General of the United States Army, Pays the Young Virginia Soldiers a Splendid Compliment.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

LEXINGTON, VA., April 21.—The visit last week to Washington and Lee University of Mr. Theodore Carl Link, the eminent architect, of St. Louis, has re sulted in crystalizing the scheme for new buildings at the University. In addition to the science hall as the home for the departments of physics and engineering, made possible by the liberality of a Chicago philanthropist, two other buildings will at no distant day be erected-the Wilson Memorial building, for the department of economics, and a dormittry to accommodate the increased number of students at the University. The scienhall will be located just in the rear-Newcomb hall, facing the railroad a will be a handsome structure of bri with stone trimmings, 60x00 feet, and

with stone trimmings, onco rect, and three stories high.

The estimated cost of the building and furnishings of modern, up-to-date ap-paratus is about \$40,000 immediately in the rear of the Tucker Memorial hall will be located the Wilson Memorial buildwill be located the Wilson Memorial building, which is to be built at a cost of
over \$20,000. The suggestion has been
made to borrow money for the erection
at once of this building, and paying for
the same by the creation of a sinking
fund from the income of the Wilson endowment, which amounts to about \$6,000
a year. Hhat fund of \$100,0000 is now invested and yleids a revenue of something
like \$0,000. The dorimtoryfi to be built
in the near future, will be located just
in the rear of President Denny's residence and fronting on Weshington
Street.

Street.

Mr. S. A. Witherspeon, of Washington and Lee University, who is arranging for the University annual, has put on the market for sale a college song, written by Mr. Howell C. Featherstone, of Lynchburg, Va., and is dedicated to the alumnia. The title of the song

by Mr. Howell C. Featherstone, of Lynchburg, Va., and is dedicated to the alumni of the University. The title of the song is "We are the Boys from Washington and Lee-the Upper Crust."

The friends of the institute are very proud of the testimony of General J. C. Brenckinridge, Inspector-General of the United States army, before the House Milltary Committee, when questioned as to the efficiency of military colleges of the country. He paid the following tribute to the efficiency of the graduates of the Virginia Military Institute and the school.

Mr. Esch-"The military training at Mr. Esch—"The military training at some colleges is a mere farce?"

General B.—"Yes, sir; it is not as good as it ought to be, but yet some of them are fine. The Virginia Military Institute which is almost the nearest one here, turns out just as good soldiers as you want. Have you seen them?"

Mr. Esch—"No sir."
General B.—"Take a look at them if you want to see good soldiers."

Mr. Parker—"Is the Military Institute an agricultural college?"
General B.—No sir. But army officers have been detailed on duty there and my corps has inspected it."

### ONLY TWO LICENSES

Applications Held in Abeyance by Lunenburg County Court.

burg County Court.

(Special to The Times.Dispatch.)

LUNENBURG, VA., April 21.—Two applications for license to sell liquor were made to the court, but the court has not acted on them, as the Mann bill has not yet been received here. It is said that the applicants in both cases have a petition signed by a majority of the registered voters in their respective districts, asking the court to grant license. There were four bar-rooms in the county under the old law, but so far only two of them have filed notice of application to renew their licenses.

In the case of Slaughter characterists

their licenses. In the case of Slaughter, charged with the murder of Bowen in this county, an in-dictment was found against Slaughier to-day, but as the Commonwealth was not ready to go to trial, owing to the absence ready to go to trial, owing to the absence of witnesses, the case was continued to the May term of the court. Motion was made for bail for Slaughter, the prisoner, by W. E. Neblett, his counsel, but after hearing evidence the court refused to grant bail and remanded Slaughter to jail to await his trial at the May term of the court.

jail to awalt his trial at the saly term of the court.

Already many candidates are in the field for the various county offices at the November election.

Owing to the continuous rains, but little farm work has been done, and very few gardens even have been planted, and those that have been planted are coming up badly and will have to be replanted, and but little corn his been planted, as the ground for the most part has been too wet to plow.

#### IN WILLIAMSBURG

Cannery to Be Built on Chesapeake and Ohio Property.

Ohio Property.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

WILLIAMSBURG, VA., April 21.—
Captain John R. McMurdo, of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company, was here to-day to meet Messrs. B. D. Feacily and T. B. Mahone, for the selection of a site on the railroad property for a canning factory. The site was located neur the Chesapeake and Ohio depot. It seems now that Williamsburg is to have a canning factory.

The Board of Directors of the Eastern State Hospital met to-day and awarded contracts for supplies for the institution the ensuing quarter. Many Richmond merchants were awarded contracts, and Messrs. L. W. Lane, Sr. and B. F. Wolfe, of this city, were also fortunate bidders. The members present were Judge G. T. Garnett, president; Messrs, E. H. Clowes, of Richmond, and H. D. Cole, of Williamsburg.

#### Union Seminary Students.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LENINGTON, VA., April 21.—Messrs. J.,
L. Lineweaver and M. F. Pilson, of the
middle class in Union accological Seminary, Richmond, have been engaged by
the Home Missionary Committee of Lexington Presbytery to labor during the
coming summer in Randolph county, W.
Va., the former at Pickens, the latter at
Harding, Mable, etc.

## Newberry's Family.

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No matter how long you have suffered nor who or what has failed, B. B. B. (Botanic Blood Baim) will cure you.

SYMPTOMS.

Bone pains, sciatics, or shooting pains up and down the leg, aching back or shoulder blades, swollen joints or swollen shoulder blades, swollen joints or swollen muscles, difficulty in moving around so you have to use crutches, blood thin or skin pale, skin tiches and burns, shifting bains, bad breath, etc., Botanic Blood Balm will remove every symptom, give quick relief from the first dose and perquick relief from the first dose and permanently cure in a few weeks time Thousands cured. B. B. especially advised for old chronic cases.

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county. Newberry is a son of Rev. Robert Newberry, a prominent citizen and local preacher of Bland county. He is, therefore, a nephew of Mr. Harman Newberry, perhaps the wealthlest resident of Southwest Virginia, and nephew also of Hon. Samuel H. Newberry, who is, we believe, the only surviving member of the famous quartette known as the "Big Four" in the days of Mahoneism. The prisoner, Newberry, married a daughter of Major Updike, also a prominent resident of Bland. Newberry is making the best of his situation in the Wythe county juil, believing that either the Circuit or the Supreme Court will grant him a new trial.

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# THE POTATO CROP

#### Incessant Rains on Eastern Shore Have Greatly Lesened Crop Yield.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) BELL HAVEN, VA., April 21.-It is feared that the Irish potato crop on the Eastern Shore of Virginia will be an absolute follure this season on account of the incessant rainfall during this month the incessant rainfall during this month. Truckers in various sections have plowed them up and sowed other crops in order that they may utilize the fertilizer. Those who planted in extremely high and well-drained lands, and have been fortunate enough to get a fair stand, fear the yield will be small on account of heavy frosts last week. The acreage was unusually

Will Fleming, of Mappsburg, employed by will Freming of Mappening engloyed year allread company of Falladelphia, was killed Sunday morning while coupling two freight cars. His remains were brought hôme.

Preparations are being made for a proparation of the being made for a proparation.

brilliant ball to be held at Town Hall, Bell Haven on Friday evening, the 24th under the management of Dr H. L. Mason,

## FIFTEEN YEARS FOR HAMILTON

#### Convicted of Wrecking the Southern Fast Mail at Ravensworth.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
ALEXANDRIA, VA., April 21.—The
trial of Robert Hamilton for train-wrecking at Fairfax Courthouse ended abruptly this afternoon by the case being submitted without argument to the jury, which brought in a verdict of guilty and fixed the punishment at fifteen years in the pentientiary. Motion of his attorneys, Thornton and Thornton, for a new trait was overruied, but the Court granted a stay of execution of sixty days, in which to note an appeal. The star witness for the state, Simon Deavers, got twisted on cross-examination, and in the atternoon only one witness was examined for the defense, L. A. Denty, who disparaged the veracity of Deavers. Counsel the defense, L. A. Denty, who disparaged the veracity of Deavers. Counsel the defense, L. A. Denty, who disparaged the veracity of Deavers. Counsel the defense of the state of the defense of the state of the defense of the state of the defense ing at Fairfax Courthouse ended abrupt

#### DEATHS OF A DAY.

Newberry's Family.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

WYTHEVILLE, VA.. April 21.—The closest interest. The prominence of the defendant and his family made it of interest throughout the Southwest, and Halsey is a well known resident of Wythe

# IN NORFOLK

Senator Martin's Visit Stirred Politicians to Activity.

#### BATTLES OF THE FUTURE

Both Sides Fully Appreciate the Preeminent Importance of Making Ready for the Coming Election of Delegates to General Assembly.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) NORFOLK, VA., April 21.—Senator Mar-tin's visit here has apparently stirred the politicians to a degree of activity that foreshadows a hot contest here for the candidates to the General Assembly and a general movement all along the lines of the factions. While the Trehy faction had the State leader and candidate for the senatorship, Senator Martin himself, here, the Montague side of the old contest had Captain George C. Cabell, Jr., of Danville, to confer with the Dey faction or at least to learn what the other side was do-ing. Captain W. W. Doy does not hesitat to declare that Governor Montague is a candidate for the Senate, but he hesitates to say what the chances of support are from the Tidewater section, because the choice is too far off to estimate. The time is not too far off, however, for all of the candidates to begin their efforts to receive the advantage of the capital section. secure the advantage of popular sentiment here. That is what all of the canment here. That is what all of the can-didates have begun to do. They have be-gun to appear here in person and by rep-resentative. They have begun to con-sider what will be the local questions on which the Dey and the Treby factions will contest for the control of the adminis-tration of this city and for the choice of delegates to the General Assembly. The Dey faction has been trying to strengthen its hold on the city by the Riddick admin-istration. It met a great loss in the deistration. It met a great loss in the de-fection of Prince, next to Dey, its chief

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several hundred parries to New York and to Eastport, Maine.

This first shipment will be followed by others and larger ones, and the trade will be extended to foreign countries. Much of the Oliver offs will go to Rotterdam, Holland, where it is mixed with olive of Holland, where it is mixed with olive oil and returned to this country for consumption. The plant has a storage capacity of about 100,000 barrels, and additional tanks are being erected. The company has fifty large railroad tank cars, in which the crude oil is brought from the mills in the South, but no shipments will be made in cars, but in barrels. The Holmes Company, which has

shipments will be made in cars, but in barrels. The Holmes Company, which has a large and complete plant here, has a contract with the Olivers to furnish from 20,000 to 50,000 barrels a year for a, peried of five years, and this company is now employing a large force to keep ahead of the mill's demand.

Mrs. John Picken, while in Elmwood Cemetery yesterday afternoon, was stricken with paralysis and her condition was regarded as critical this afternoon by the attending physician, Dr. Meredith, Mrs. Pickens resides in South Park Avenue. Mrs. Pickens resides in South Park Avenue. Mrs. Pickens resides in South Park Avenue. Mrs. Picken, who was the widow of Congressman Dezendorf, was on her way to visit her parents' graves, when she suddenly fell to the ground. Cemetery attendants picked Mr. Picken up and had her removed to her home. Mrs. Picken has three children—two daughters and a son. Mr. Albert Dezendorf, her son, is in Washington, connected with the Department of Justice. Her two daughters are Mrs. Trimmer and Mrs. Austin, one of whom lives in Pennsylvania, Mr. Picken was formerly in the marine rospital service.

Rev. Mr. Frisco, of Chattanooga, Tenn, may be called to the pastorate of the Fourth-Street Baptist Church, Portsmouth, to succeed Dr. W. F. Fisher, whe will leave on June 1st, to become an evan gellst of the State Mission Board,

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gelist of the State Mission Board,
Plans for a new parish house are discussed by the vestry of St. Luke's Episcopal Church. A parish house costinabout \$30,600 would fill all the needs and
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amount on a modern structure.

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The largest bankruptcy petition that has been filed in the United States Court in many months was admitted to record today, when Adolph Michelsohn asked to be relieved of his debts. Michelsohn conducts a brokers office in West Main Street. He is also a notary and is commissioner of deed for various States. The petition gives the liabilities as \$74,532.37 with \$1,001.70 assets. Of the liabilities 3,239 are for secured claims; unsecured claims; \$45,145.39 and notes and bills, \$25,035.33. The assets consist, according to the petition, of an insurance policy for \$100 and \$1.70 in cash. Michelsohn har many creditors in this and other cities and most of the debts are for notes.

The petition will be referred to Referre in Bankruptcy Groner, who will appoint a receiver.

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In the United States Court to-day outof-town creditors of B. Miller filed a 
petition asking that Miller be declared a 
bankrupt, the claim being that Miller 
was insolvent. Miller keeps a clothing 
store at No. 384 Main Street. The petitioners were R. Kanter, N. Block and 
John B. Henry, whose claims respectively are: Kanter, \$425; Block \$550; and 
Henry, \$83.55.

### Royal Arcanum Council.

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(Special to The Times-Disnatch.)

ROANOKE, VA., April 21,—The twentyfirst annual session of the Grand Council
of the Royal Arcanum of Virginia met
to-night in Pythian Hall, with Grand Regent R. W., Arnold, of Alexandria, presidius. The session was brief, devoted to
the appointment of committees. There
are about one hundred delegates in attendance, with more to come. The election of officers was set for to-morrow at

#### THE STOCK EXCHANGE

W. H. Lucke, President; Fred W. Scott Vice-President; R. W. Maury, Sec'y, Vice-President; R. W. Maury, Sec'y, At the annual meeting of the Richmond Stock Exchange, held yesterday, the following officers were re-elected for the ensuing year; W. H. Lucke, president; F. W. Scott, vice-president; Richard W. Maury, secretary and treasurer.

